

Missouri State Archives

Finding Aid [998.207]

MANUSCRIPT COLLECTIONS

Early St. Louis Postcard Collection

Abstract: Twelve postcards from St. Louis in the early 20th Century.

Extent: 12 postcards

Physical Description: Postcards

Location: Missouri State Archives; Stacks

ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Alternative Formats: TIF

Access Restrictions: None

Publication Restrictions: None

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Acquisition Information: Gift with letter of intent; Accession #1995-0096

Processing Information: Processing completed by EW on 04/03/2017. Updated by EW on 10/30/2020 and 03/24/2021.

HISTORICAL AND BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES

These postcards were donated to the Archives by the Archives du Finistere in Quimper, France. Most of them were published by Adolph Selige.

ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTIVE INFORMATION

Related Collections

MS294 Mary Alice Hansen Postcard Collection
MS310 Rockaway Beach Postcard Collection
MS329 Alice Fast Jefferson City Postcard Collection
MS360 Dr. Arnold G. Parks Jefferson City Postcard Collection
MS370 Miniature Kansas City Postcard Collection
MS398 Missouri Postcard Collection
MS411 Tim Dollens Postcard Collection
MS412 Gene Bushmann Postcard Collection
MS457 Missouri State Penitentiary Postcard Collection
MS501 Michael Ehrmann Postcard Collection

Additional External Resources

Postcard collections are typically available at most state and local historical societies and archives.

POSTCARDS, 1901-1904

Arrangement: None

Scope and Content

These colorized 3½" x 5½" postcards have been digitized and placed on Manuscript DVD #1 in the Reference Room. There are two images from the 1904 St. Louis World's Fair. The rest are iconic buildings or street scenes of St. Louis.

Container List

Location	Box	Folder	Contents	Date
	11	67	St. Louis World's Fair Corner Varied Industries Building	1904
	11	68	St. Louis World's Fair Cascades Pyrotechnic Display. Published by A. Selige.	1904
	11	69	Music Pavilion, Tower Grove Park. Published by A. Selige.	(none)
	11	70	Shaw's Botanical Garden. Published by A. Selige.	(none)
	11	71	Olive Street looking west from 8 th . (Caption also in German.) Published by A. Selige.	(none)
	11	72	Union Station. Published and copywritten by A. Selige.	1901
	11	73	The Pagoda, Forest Park. Published by Adolph Selige.	(none)
	11	74	U.S. Government Building. Published by A. Selige.	(none)
	11	75	Entrance to Portland Place. (Caption also in German.) Published by A. Selige.	(none)
	11	76	Compton Hill Watertower. Published by A. Selige.	(none)
	11	77	Historic Court House. Published by A. Selige.	(none)
	11	78	City Hall. (Caption also in German.) Published by A. Selige.	(none)